



SPOTLIGHT ON LAMAR COUNTY

2014

coalition was formed to create a tobacco-free community

10,000+

individuals have been educated through the services provided in Lamar County

In 3 years, rate of tobacco use has declined from

23% to 17%

Policy Successes

2014: Paris Smoking Ordinance

2014: Reno Smoking Ordinance

2015: Paris ISD adds E-Cigarettes to Ban



Vision:

East Texas TPCC envisions tobacco-free communities along with reduced illness and premature deaths from tobacco use.

Mission:

East Texas TPCC promotes a healthy community by preventing youth access to tobacco promoting tobacco cessation programs protecting resident from exposure to secondhand and third hand smoke supporting state and local laws, and promoting a tobacco-free community that benefits the health of all.

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